

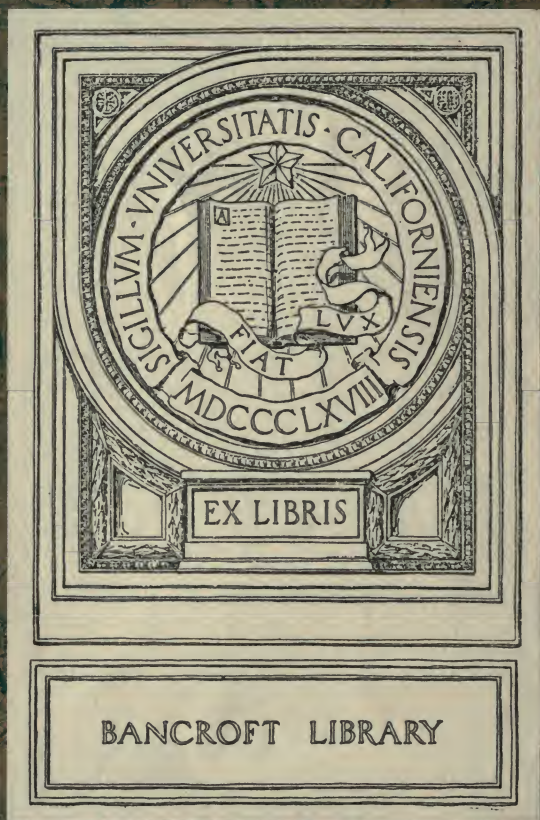
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An historical account of the canal project from the earliest times, with a description of the waterway as it will be ultimately constructed, and a brief history and description of the country.

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"Lively volume of sketches of life and work on the Canal Zone. . . . Will serve a useful purpose in impressing the average reader with the magnitude of this national enterprise in its various aspects. It is undeniably superficial and sensational, and its statements are not to be accepted without caution." *Nation*, 1909.

NOTE:—The library receives each week the *Canal Record*, published by the Isthmian Canal Commission. It contains official information of the progress of the work on the canal. Consult also the Annual Report of the Commission on file in the Government Publications room.

## SOUTH AMERICA

**Akers, Charles Edmond.** History of South America, 1854-1904. 1904. 980.50

"Takes up in succession each South American country. . . . Two chapters give a rather too sketchy general introduction, four in the middle are devoted to an account of the war between Chile and Peru, while a concluding one reviews the general situation, and intimates views of the future. . . . There is (1904) . . . so far as we know, no other book which contains the facts in so convenient a form." *Nation*, 1904.

**American Republics Bureau.** [Latin American Republics.] 1909. 918.15

*Contents:* The Argentine Republic.—Bolivia.—Brazil.—Chile.—Columbia.—Costa Rica.—Cuba.—Dominican Republic.—Ecuador.—Guatemala.—Haiti.—Honduras.—Mexico.—Nicaragua.—Panama.—Paraguay.—Peru.—Salvador.—Uruguay.—Venezuela.

**Bancroft, Hubert Howe.** The new Pacific. N. Y., 1900. 911.1

"For the first time the countries around the Pacific ocean are presented as an entirety; resources and industries, history and romance, together with the events leading to the present active developments."—*Author*. There are chapters on the recent war with Spain, on the question of imperialism, territorial expansion, etc.



**Barrett, John.** Latin America, the land of opportunity.  
Wash. Amer. Republics Bureau, 1909. 104 p. illus.  
918.14

A "reprint of official reports and special articles," presenting considerable information and the advantages of these countries as a field for United States capital and enterprise.

—The Pan-American Union. 1811. 340.595

**Bingham, Hiram, D. D.** Across South America; an account of a journey from Buenos Aires to Lima by way of Potosi; with notes on Brazil, Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, and Peru; with 80 illus. and maps.  
918.11

In 1908, Professor Bingham, who holds a chair in Latin American history in Yale University, was sent to South America as a delegate of the United States government to the first Pan-American Scientific Congress. He took advantage of the occasion to make a most interesting trip across the continent, from Buenos Aires to Lima in Peru, partly by train, partly across the mountains on mule-back. The result of this trip is the present book. Professor Bingham had the advantage of being more thoroughly acquainted than most travellers with the language and history of the country, so that his book is unusually instructive in regard to topography, institutions, political situation, and trade possibilities of South America. Index.

—The journal of an expedition across Venezuela and Colombia, 1906-1907; an exploration of the route of Bolivar's celebrated march of 1819 and of the battlefields of Boyaca and Carabobo. 918.7.1

"Really authentic accounts of South America are so rare that Dr. Bingham's 'The Journal of an Expedition Across Venezuela and Colombia 1906-1907' (Yale Publishing Association, New Haven, Conn.) has not merely the value of an historical document. It is a vivid description of existing conditions. The author started into Venezuela with the Quixotic intention of finding out how Bolivar made his way from Venezuela into New Granada in the war of Liberation and of examining the battlefields of Carabobo and Boyaca. He succeeded in following Bolivar's route with much difficulty. His narrative is in the form of a diary, and to him who reads it carefully it throws more light on the Venezuela of Castro and on Colombian civilization than any of the histories do. The story of adventure is very entertaining and the side lights on the condition of the country and the people are instructive. It is an honest and intelligent record of travel."—*New York Sun*.

**Bishop, N. H.** A thousand miles walk across South America. 1869. 910.476

**Bonnycastle, R. H.** Dominions of Spain in the Western hemisphere. 1818. 2 v. 910.800-801

**Brackenridge, H. M.** Voyage to South America in 1817 and 1818. 2 v. 910.536-7

**Brady, Cyrus Townsend.** South American fights and fighters, and other tales of adventure. (American fights and fighters ser.) 980.49

*Contents:* Panama and the knights-errant of colonization; Panama, Balboa and a forgotten romance; Peru and the Pizarros; The greatest adventure in history; The yarn of the "Essex," whaler; Some famous American duels; The cruise of the "Tonquin;" John Paul Jones; In the caverns of the Pitt; Being a boy out west.

**Bullard, H. A.** History of Don Francisco de Mirandas attempt to effect a revolution in South America. 1811. **980.27**

**Butterworth, Hezekiah.** South America: a popular illustrated history of the South American republics, Cuba and Panama. 1904. **980.42**

First published in 1898. This is a new and cheaper edition, revised up to 1904, and covering the Panama revolution. The volume relates the story of liberty and progress in Latin America. It is also an introduction to a study of the Andean republics and those on the Spanish Main.

The author of this important volume here supplies the first general history of that tropical and sub-tropical America to which our attention has lately been so exclusively directed, and which is daily becoming more closely associated with us politically and commercially. Mr. Butterworth has attained his knowledge at first hand; and not only does he trace the thrilling struggle for liberty in the South American republics, Cuba and Porto Rico, but he points out impressively the great future in store for these countries.

—Traveller tales of the pan-American countries. Boston, 1902. Illus. (Educational travel series.) **910.1818**

Stories of South and Central America for young people.

**Carpenter, Frank G.** South America, social, industrial, and political: a twenty-five thousand mile journey in search of information in the Isthmus of Panama and the lands of the equator, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia, Chile, Tierra del Fuego, the Falklands, Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay, Brazil, the Guianas, Venezuela, and the Orinoco Basin. 1900. **918.2**

The outcome of a journalistic expedition to South America in search of information for the American business man and the general reader. The work is more a study of the commercial and social life of the cities, and a description of how the people live and work in the country, than a diary of travel and adventure. It describes the chief industries, notes the characteristic features of the inhabitants, discusses the resources and possibilities of the various countries, and incidentally points out the chances for the investment of American capital and the increase of American trade.

**Champney, Eliz. W.** Three Vassar girls in South America. 1885. **910.1598**

**Chase, W.** Voyage from the U. S. to South America, 1821-23. **910.843**

**Child, Theodore.** Spanish-American republics. Illus. 1891. **910.2479**

Travel in Chile, Peru, Argentine republic, Paraguay, Uruguay, across Andes and along southern coasts. Observances social and economic conditions as well as nature.

**Clark, Francis Edward.** Continent of opportunity; the South American republics, their history, their resources, their outlook, with a traveller's impressions of present day conditions. 1907. **980.47**

The material for this volume was gathered during a five months' journey to South America in the interests of the Christian Endeavor movement which the author undertook in 1907. In the course of his journey he visited eight of the republics of South America, namely, Panama, Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia, Chile, the Argentine Republic, Uruguay and Brazil. *Condensed from introduction.*

**Curtis, W. Eleroy.** Between the Andes and the ocean: an account of an interesting journey down the west coast of South America from the Isthmus of Panama to the Straits of Magellan. 1900. **918.3**

*Some of the contents:* The voyage and the Isthmus; Concerning the Panama canal; The ancient city of Panama and the canal; The deceptive city of Guayaquil; The President and government of Ecuador; The Zona Seca of South America; Peru in peace and prosperity The monks and the monasteries; The mecca of a prehistoric race; Over the deserts and mountains of Bolivia; The quaint old city of Arequipa; Cuzco, the capital of the Incas; The city of La Paz; The nitrate deserts of Chile; The city of Valparaiso; Santiago, the capital of Chile; The President and the government of Chile, etc.

—Capitals of Spanish America. 1888. **910.951**

**Dahlgren, Madeline.** South sea sketches. 1881. **910.477**

**Dawson, Thomas Cleland.** South American republics—part 1: Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay, Brazil; part 2: Peru, Chile, Bolivia, Ecuador, Venezuela, Colombia, Panama. (Story of the nations.) 1903-4. 2 v. **980.44-45**

The author is well qualified by long residence in Brazil, to write of the East Andean States. He treats each state separately with resulting comparison in part 2, where the interrelations of the several nations are close. Disproportionately small space is given to the period of independence. Maps are poor and illustrations not well chosen or placed. There are some inaccuracies and no footnotes.

**Depons, Francois R. J.** Travels in South America during 1801-4. 2 v. **910.534-5**

—Voyage to the Spanish Main in South America. 1801-4. 3 v. **910.1593-5**

**Ford, I. N.** Tropical America. 1893. **910.2498**

**Fountain, Paul.** The great mountains and forests of South America. 1902. **918.6**

A sequel to "The great deserts and forests of North America," originally intended to form a second part to that work; but on the advice of the publishers it was reserved and amplified to make a second book.

*Contents:* A trip up the Trombelas; The River Purus; Rambling days in a central Brazilian forest; The district of the seven lakes; The poisoned arrow; The Ecuador Andes; The Highlands and Llanos of New Granada; Mountain and valley in Chile and Peru, etc.

**Frezier, A. F.** Voyage to the South sea. 1717. **910.746**

**Gallenga, A.** South America. 1880. **980.13**

**Hale, Albert, M. D.** The South Americans: the story of the South American republics, their characteristics, progress and tendencies; with special reference to their commercial relations with the United States. 1907. **918.4**

Author is member of the Geographical Society of Rio Janeiro. He dedicates his book to Secretary Elihu Root, "one great American statesman of recent years who has understood the Latin temperament." Dr. Hale has had twenty-five years' intimate association with Latin America and extended residence



there. He points out that the settlement of North America was begun with the love of liberty and that of South America with the search for gold. He makes a fair comparison of the habits and characteristics of South Americans and shows where they are equal with the North while distinctly inferior in material development and public education. For three-quarters of a century the Monroe doctrine has kept us between the South American republics and Europe. Dr. Hale thinks the time has come to give vital significance to this doctrine.

**Humbolt, F. H. A. von and Aimé Bonpland.** Travels to the equatorial regions of America during 1799-1804. 3 v. **500.37-9**

**Knox, T. W.** Boy travellers in South America. 1886. **910.1663**

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**Martin, Percy F.** Through five Republics (of South America): a critical description of Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Uruguay and Venezuela in 1905; with 128 illus. 1906. **918.13**

The writer is an English journalist. "My object," he says, "in giving this book to the world is twofold. First, I believe it is timely, in view of the enormous advances made by the South American Republics of late years, and the amount of British capital invested therein. Secondly, I have in my journalistic capacity been enabled to gather much information of value, which I have found no opportunity for utilizing in the newspapers I have represented, but which accompanied by illustrations and somewhat fuller descriptions, should be acceptable as a critical account of the countries visited."

—Message from the President of the U. S. relating to the war in South America. 1882. **980.34**

**Mitre, Bartolomé.** Emancipation of South America. 1893. **980.40**

**Moses, Bernard.** South America on the eve of emancipation; the southern Spanish colonies in the last half-century of their dependence. 1908. **980.43**

In an earlier work entitled *The Establishment of Spanish Rule in America*, published in 1898, Professor Moses gave some account of the origin and earlier history of the institutions framed for the government of Spanish America. The present volume presents some phases of colonial history and social organization in the last part of the eighteenth century, particularly as they appear in the southern half of South America. The annals of the colonies furnish interesting episodes, but not material for sustained dramatic narrative. The task here undertaken is to present certain conspicuous events, institutions, and phases of life, that may illustrate the state of the southern Spanish colonies on the eve of the revolution which gave them independence.

**Mozans, H. J. pseud.** Along the Andes and down the Amazon; with an introd. by Colonel Thdr. Roosevelt. 1911. il. maps, (Following the Conquistadores.) **918.12**

A record of western South American travel, remarkable chiefly for the author's faith in a splendid Spanish-American future race, to which various now alien races and discordant elements are contributing. Mr. Roosevelt, in his appreciative introduction, refers to Dr. Mozans as an "ideal traveling companion with every qualification for making just such a journey . . . and then writing about it."

**Orton, James.** The Andes and the Amazon. 1876. **910.566**

**Osborn, Chase Salmon.** The Andean land (South America.) 1909. 2 v. Illus. **918.7-8**

A record of travel (1907) and a description of the thirteen Latin American countries, written in breezy journalistic style. The book is encumbered with guide-book statistics and, on account of recent progress, the travel information is somewhat out of date, but the remarks on South American trade are worthy of especial note.

**Paxson, Frederic L.** Independence of the South American republics; a study in recognition and foreign policy. 1903. **980.46**

Traces the development of the modern doctrines in international law as to neutrality and recognition of revolted peoples and the share of the United States therein, and describes the attitude of the United States and of England toward the revolted Spanish colonies leading to their full recognition as sovereign states. Based on original unpublished manuscripts in the Department of State at Washington, the Adams papers at Quincy and the Foreign office at London. Of value for the origins of the Monroe doctrine and the foreign policy of the United States. Nine pages of bibliography.

**Petre, Francis Loraine.** Simon Bolivar, "El libertador." 1910. **920.6619**

A careful and detailed account of the revolt against Spain in Venezuela, New Granada and Peru in the early eighteenth century and the best and fairest estimate yet written of the character and career of its leader. "It is rather difficult reading on account of the agility with which the subject skips over a large and unfamiliar map."—*Catholic World*.

Mr. Petre thinks that the reputation enjoyed by Bolivar less than a century ago was above his merits; he was neither a Washington nor a Napoleon. The oblivion which has latterly fallen on his memory is even more unmerited, as he was undoubtedly a very remarkable man. It was through Bolivar's efforts that the countries which now form Venezuela, Peru, Republic of Colombia and Panama threw off the yoke of Spain forever, but he died a bitterly disappointed man, foreseeing the anarchy which has almost ever since held sway in these states. Bibliography (3 p.). Index.

**Ruhl, Arthur.** The other Americans; the cities, the countries, and especially the people of South America. **918.5**

Keen, intelligent and remarkably interesting accounts of the cities and country, the people and customs of the countries of South America today. Venezuela, Colombia, Brazil, Argentine, Chile, Peru, Bolivia, and Panama, their people, their general appearances and characteristics, their great differences from us and from each other, their attractive and their unattractive sides, are exceedingly cleverly described and illustrated. Mr. Ruhl is a vigorous, clear-sighted and accurate observer. His lively narrative is full of amusing adventures, he illustrates his points with good stories and telling anecdotes, and a certain gay enjoyment of his own adventures and of the comforts and discomforts of the trip make the book extraordinarily good reading. It is fully illustrated by photographs and drawings, and is supplied with an appendix giving statistics of each country's population, trade, resources, etc.

**Santa-Anna Nery, Fr  d  rico Jos   de.** Land of the Amazons. 1901. **918.1.1**

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- Waterton, Charles. Wanderings in South America, the Northwest of the United States and the Antilles, in the years 1812, 1816, 1820 and 1824. 1909. 918.10
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**Dawson, T. C.** The South American republics. Pt. 1, Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay, Brazil, 1903. (Story of the nations ser.) 980.44

By the Secretary of the United States Legation to Brazil. He thinks civic capacity is increasing among the body of South Americans and immigration is raising the industrial level. The form of government he thinks will remain Republican. He has resided six years in South America and has been in position to meet the most important scholars, public men, merchants and land owners. Bibliography (1 p.).

**Hirst, W. A.** Argentina, with an introduction by Martin Hume. 1910. (South American series.) 918.2.4

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Its historical, topographical and commercial interests have been admirably balanced.

**Koebel, W. H.** Argentina, past and present. 1911. 982.1

Mr. Koebel gives to the subject of his former work, "Modern Argentina," a fuller and more detailed treatment, and adds to it a sketch of the history of the country.

**Fitz Gerald, E. Arthur.** The highest Andes: a record of the first ascent of Aconcagua and Tupungato in Argentina, and the exploration of the surrounding valleys; with chapters by Stuart Vines, and contributions by Professor Bonney and others. 1899. 918.2.2

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**Johnson, H. C. R.** Vacation in the Argentine Alps. 1865. 910.1597

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**Conway, Sir W. Martin.** The Bolivian Andes: a record of climbing and exploration in the Cordillera real in the years 1898 and 1900. 1901. **918.4.1**

Both a record of climbing among the high peaks of the Andes in Bolivia, as well as observations upon the political conditions of Bolivia and neighboring states. Bibliography (3 p.). List of plants collected by Sir W. M. Conway in the Bolivian Andes, 1898-99 (5 p.).

**Wright, Marie Robinson.** Bolivia: the central highway of South America, a land of rich resources and varied interest. 1907. **918.4.2**

By the author of "The new Brazil" and "The Republic of Chile." After fifteen years' travel in Latin America the author gives results which could only have been obtained after long association with the people and a clear conception of the essential features of Latin American civilization. The author is member of the National Geographical Society; of the Geographical Society of Brazil, and of the Geographical Society of La Paz. A contribution to the history, development and prospects of South America.

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**Winter, Nevin Otto.** Brazil and her people of today.  
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A compact survey of Brazil's history, the country, people, government, industries and resources, education and the arts, giving a large amount of reliable and varied information. Like the author's earlier volumes on Guatemala and Mexico, it is a convenient source for readers seeking facts rather than entertaining descriptions.

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Illus. 983.1

"A combination of history and description, loose-jointed, but serviceable." Besides many illustrations, which are chosen with slight regard for the text, there are plans, diagrams, bibliography and an appendix giving statistics.

**Gardiner, A. F.** Visit to the Indians on the frontier of Chile. 1841. 910.1374

**Hancock, Anson U.** History of Chile. 1893. 980.41

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## COLOMBIA

**Bingham, Hiram.** The journal of an expedition across Venezuela and Colombia, 1906-1907. 1909. Illus.  
918.7.1

Somewhat minute account, in diary form, of a journey undertaken to collect material for a biography of Bolivar. The author explored the route of Bolivar's march of 1819 and the battlefields of Boyaca and Carabobo. The text is a useful contribution to the meager literature of this region, but is not of great interest to the average reader. The illustrations (133) from the author's photographs are excellent.

**Carpenter, F. G.** South America. 918.2

**Conder, J.** Colombia. 1825. 910.1582

**Duane, W.** Visit to Colombia in 1822 and 1823. 910.1601

**Scruggs, W. Lindsay.** The Colombian and Venezuelan republics; with notes on other parts of Central and South America. New ed., with a chapter on the Panama Canal. 1905. **918.6.1**

Contains a brief account of the author's personal experiences, observations, and studies in Central and South America, and more particularly in the republics of Colombia and Venezuela, during the period of twenty-seven years, from 1872 to 1899, when he was Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary. The present edition has been enlarged and brought up to date with every information connected with the Panama Canal. The text of the Panama Canal Treaty is also given.

## ECUADOR

**Hassaurek, F.** Four years among the Spanish Americans of Ecuador, 1861-65. **910.1591**

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**Andre, E.** A naturalist in the Guianas. 1904. **918.8.1**

"The story of what he saw while collecting orchids, birds, butterflies, and small mammals is well worth telling, and the book is not only very interesting but is also a distinct contribution to our knowledge of a typical region in the South African forests. The illustrations are from excellent photographs, and give a good idea of the Orinoco and Caura Rivers, the Indians, and the tangle of forest vegetation."—*Bulletin of the American Geographical Society.*

**Palgrave, W. G.** Dutch Guiana. **980.17**

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**Dawson, T. C.** South American republics. 1903. (Story of the nations series.) **980.44**

Vol. 1. Introductory; the discoveries and the conquest; Argentina; Paraguay; Uruguay; Brazil; Index.

**Rengger, J. R.** Reign of Dr. Joseph Gaspard Roderick and Francia in Paraguay, 1819-1825. **980.11**

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Vol. 2. 1864-1868.

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